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Report No. SAT-00181

Friday December 12, 2003

POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

Actions Taken

The Commission, by its International Bureau, took the following actions pursuant to delegated authority. The effective date of these actions is the release date of this Notice, except were an effective date is specified.

SAT-AMD-20031118-00334 E S2499

EchoStar Satellite Corporation

Amendment

Returned No Action Effective Date: 12/03/2003

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite, Fixed Satellite Service

Application returned as unprocessable for failure to make the required fee payment.

SAT-LOA-20030827-00177 E S2490

EchoStar Satellite Corporation

Launch and Operating Authority

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 12/08/2003

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite, Fixed Satellite Service

On December 8, 2003, the Satellite Division of the International Bureau granted EchoStar's application to launch and operate the EchoStar 123W satellite at the 123 degrees W.L. orbital location in the 18.3-18.8 GHz, 19.7-20.2 GHz, 28.35-28.6 GHz, and the 29.25-20.0 GHz bands, subject to conditions.

SAT-STA-20030903-00301 P ECHO4

EchoStar Satellite Corporation

Special Temporary Authority

Grant of Authority Effective Date: 12/10/2003

Nature of Service: Direct Broadcast Satellite Service

On December 10, 2003, the Satellite Division granted EchoStar's request for special temporary authority to operate on channels 1, 7, and 11 at its assigned 157 W.L. orbital location rather than on its assigned channels 1,3, and 5 at the 157 W.L. location for a period of 60 days commencing December 17, 2003, subject to certain conditions.

Dismissal

SAT-AMD-20030402-00062 S2233 EchoStar KuX Corporation

On December 8, 2003, the International Bureau dismissed Echostar Satellite Corporation's application to construct, launch and operate a geostationary satellite orbit satellite in the extended Ku-band frequencies at the 83 degree W.L. orbital location, without prejudice to EchoStar re-filing the application. The application was dismissed because the proposed satellite does not conform with the Commission's rules. See Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, to David K. Moskowitz, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, EchoStar, dated December 8, 2003 (DA 03-3894).

SAT-AMD-20030411-00065 S2234 EchoStar KuX Corporation

On December 8, 2003, the International Bureau dismissed Echostar Satellite Corporation's application to construct, launch and operate a geostationary satellite orbit satellite in the extended Ku-band frequencies at the 121 degree W.L. orbital location, without prejudice to EchoStar re-filing the application. The application was dismissed because the proposed satellite does not conform with the Commission's rules. See Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, to David K. Moskowitz, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, EchoStar, dated December 8, 2003, DA 03-3894.

SAT-LOA-19960229-00037 S2233 Echostar KuX Corporation (d/b/a Echostar Satellite Productions)

On December 8, 2003, the International Bureau dismissed Echostar Satellite Corporation's application to construct, launch and operate a geostationary satellite orbit satellite in the extended Ku-band frequency bands located at 83 degrees W.L., without prejudice to EchoStar re-filing the application. The application was dismissed because the proposed satellite does not conform with the Commission's rules. See Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, to David K. Moskowitz, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, EchoStar, dated December 8, 2003, DA 03-3894.

SAT-LOA-19960229-00038 S2234 Echostar KuX Corporation (d/b/a Echostar Satellite Productions)

On December 8, 2003, the International Bureau dismissed Echostar Satellite Corporation's application to construct, launch and operate a geostationary satellite orbit satellite in the extended Ku-band frequencies at the 121 degree W.L. orbital location, without prejudice to EchoStar re-filing the application. The application was dismissed because the proposed satellite does not conform with the Commission's rules. See Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, to David K. Moskowitz, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, EchoStar, dated December 8, 2003, DA 03-3894.

SAT-LOA-20030827-00170 S2483 EchoStar Satellite Corporation

On December 8, 2003, the International Bureau dismissed Echostar Satellite Corporation's application to construct, launch and operate a geostationary satellite orbit satellite in the non-allotted extended Ku-band frequencies at the 109 degree W.L. orbital location, without prejudice to EchoStar re-filing the application. The application was dismissed because the proposed satellite does not conform with the Commission's rules. See Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, to David K. Moskowitz, Senior Vice President and General Counsel, EchoStar, dated December 8, 2003.

For more information concerning this Notice, contact the Satellite Division at 202-418-0719; TTY 202-418-2555.